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## STATE TABLE 2.—SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED: CENSUSES OF 1920 TO 1945

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ITEM (For definitions, "Farms reporting," etc., see text)	Census of 1945 (January 1)	Census of 1940 (April 1)	Census of 1935 (January 1)	Census of 1930 (April 1)	Census of 1925 (January 1)	Census of 1920 (January 1)
All farms.....number..	42,184	38,880	41,907	39,006	50,033	48,227
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting..	39,882	36,964	41,415	38,214	(*)	(*)
.....acres..	1,315,582	1,146,613	1,386,025	1,304,014	1,605,576	<sup>2</sup> 1,530,027
Total value of specified crops harvested.....dollars..	97,970,204	39,257,704	(**)	(**)	(**)	(**)
Value of all crops SOLD.....dollars..	58,956,685	21,966,767	(*)	48,071,855	(*)	(*)
<b>Corn:</b>						
Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting..	2,702	5,652	5,272	4,281	4,215	(*)
.....acres..	9,761	17,169	12,867	12,294	11,329	(*)
.....value <sup>3</sup> ..dollars..	649,691	649,358	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)
Harvested for grain.....farms reporting..	909	2,510	2,225	810	935	4,214
.....acres..	1,929	5,000	3,436	1,574	1,390	6,965
.....bushels..	72,521	206,686	121,720	63,393	55,132	286,261
<b>Sorghums:</b>						
Sorghums for all purposes except for sirup.....farms reporting..	67	39	(*)	57	(*)	(*)
.....acres..	211	149	.....	148	15	114
.....value <sup>4</sup> ..dollars..	8,288	3,239	.....	4,442	(*)	3,055
Harvested for grain.....farms reporting..	2	.....	.....	1	(*)	(**)
.....acres..	10	.....	.....	1	.....	.....
.....bushels..	77	.....	.....	50	.....	.....
<b>Small grains:</b>						
Mixed grains threshed or combined (other than flax and wheat grown together).....farms reporting..	161	177	213	295	(*)	37
.....acres..	1,575	1,779	1,678	2,283	(*)	106
.....bushels..	60,819	68,367	62,285	84,967	(*)	2,716
.....value ..dollars..	56,905	36,520	37,371	71,371	(*)	4,075
Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting..	6,307	8,756	9,534	9,653	12,193	18,337
.....acres..	74,742	30,601	99,776	104,121	103,898	116,691
.....bushels..	2,820,748	3,358,212	3,956,910	3,942,774	3,938,124	3,600,617
.....value ..dollars..	2,377,931	1,530,613	2,016,094	2,721,222	2,677,925	3,780,648
Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting..	2,924	2,676	3,809	3,285	6,272	(*)
.....acres..	10,412	8,355	10,370	8,187	16,264	(*)
.....value ..dollars..	312,360	111,686	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)
Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting..	377	888	971	672	611	1,629
.....acres..	1,969	3,794	3,910	2,472	1,837	4,358
.....bushels..	62,633	94,855	118,697	73,336	53,769	104,912
.....value ..dollars..	70,017	66,328	86,649	66,182	58,632	183,597
Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting..	31	32	11	31	48	133
.....acres..	168	304	69	96	134	272
.....bushels..	2,473	3,582	1,092	1,599	2,967	4,673
.....value ..dollars..	3,339	2,865	874	1,599	4,453	9,346
Flax threshed or combined.....farms reporting..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
.....acres..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
.....bushels..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
.....value ..dollars..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Winter wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting..	25	2	51	29	128	759
.....acres..	122	4	125	78	497	3,374
.....bushels..	2,403	112	2,500	1,669	15,267	63,712
.....value ..dollars..	3,845	118	3,625	2,464	24,122	149,724
Spring wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting..	253	509	2,103	(*)	997	4,391
.....acres..	1,016	1,540	6,311	1,627	3,009	11,090
.....bushels..	21,758	28,644	144,381	37,805	63,440	197,473
.....value ..dollars..	36,711	35,338	209,352	61,241	123,708	464,061
<b>Annual legumes:</b>						
Soybeans grown alone except for green manure.....farms reporting..	38	61	72	(*)	(*)	(*)
.....acres..	97	176	132	2,027	(*)	(*)
Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting..	1	24	2	(*)	(*)	405
.....acres..	1	29	(*)	(*)	(*)	314
.....bushels..	10	491	33	322	(*)	2,096
.....value ..dollars..	21	640	59	854	(*)	8,384
All dry field and seed beans harvested other than soybeans.....farms reporting..	1,754	<sup>5</sup> 5,225	9,115	6,421	5,055	8,956
.....acres..	4,212	<sup>6</sup> 8,907	67,033	<sup>6</sup> 6,823	3,894	5,689
.....bushels..	48,758	171,123	99,164	87,553	(*)	58,797
.....value ..dollars..	250,704	457,139	321,291	451,084	(*)	358,661
Cowpeas grown alone except for green manure.....farms reporting..	.....	.....	.....	(*)	(*)	(*)
.....acres..	.....	.....	.....	245	(*)	(*)
Cowpeas harvested for peas.....farms reporting..	.....	.....	.....	(*)	(*)	(*)
.....bushels..	.....	.....	.....	102	(*)	(*)
.....value ..dollars..	.....	.....	.....	255	(*)	(*)
Soybeans and cowpeas harvested for hay.....farms reporting..	14	761	7206	7183	(*)	<sup>7</sup> 314
.....acres..	38	<sup>7</sup> 513	<sup>7</sup> 469	<sup>7</sup> 2,720	(*)	<sup>7</sup> 2,537
.....tons..	43	<sup>7</sup> 651	<sup>7</sup> 881	<sup>7</sup> 2,422	(*)	<sup>7</sup> 2,667
.....value ..dollars..	986	<sup>7</sup> 5,569	<sup>7</sup> 12,246	<sup>7</sup> 24,220	(*)	<sup>7</sup> 66,675
All dry field and seed peas harvested other than cowpeas and Austrian peas.....farms reporting..	35	<sup>8</sup> 119	(*)	71	(*)	292
.....acres..	133	<sup>8</sup> 216	(*)	421	(*)	243
.....bushels..	1,060	3,423	(*)	699	(*)	3,034
.....value ..dollars..	4,360	11,363	(*)	2,901	(*)	15,170

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## CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE: 1945

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ITEM (For definitions, "Farms reporting," etc., see text)	Census of 1945 (January 1)	Census of 1940 (April 1)	Census of 1935 (January 1)	Census of 1930 (April 1)	Census of 1925 (January 1)	Census of 1920 (January 1)
Hay (excluding specified annual legumes and sorghums; see text):						
Alfalfa cut for hay.....farms reporting..	97	302	373	634	152	111
acres..	925	4,661	3,615	8,729	1,219	730
tons..	1,361	5,878	4,506	9,135	(*)	944
value .. dollars..	36,329	90,466	68,942	127,890	(*)	28,320
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting..	18,965	19,101	23,375	(*)	(*)	(*)
acres..	424,539	408,845	528,326	614,488	705,335	(**)
tons..	423,841	419,976	460,085	638,436	(*)	(**)
value .. dollars..	9,119,728	3,722,663	6,533,207	6,887,067	(*)	(**)
Lespedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting..	.....	.....	(**)	(**)	(**)	(**)
acres..	.....	.....	(**)	(**)	(**)	(**)
tons..	.....	.....	(**)	(**)	(*)	(**)
value .. dollars..	.....	.....	(**)	(**)	(*)	(**)
Small grains cut for hay.....farms reporting..	310	1,554	2,677	1,238	1,537	5,393
acres..	1,043	9,935	5,689	2,761	3,909	15,100
tons..	1,488	11,961	10,210	5,256	(*)	24,635
value .. dollars..	24,474	98,213	126,604	52,560	(*)	492,700
Other tame hay cut, excluding sorghums <sup>8</sup> .....farms reporting..	19,451	(*)	(**)	(**)	(**)	(**)
acres..	451,567	346,938	(**)	(**)	(**)	(**)
tons..	356,230	290,664	(**)	(**)	(*)	(**)
value .. dollars..	6,717,788	2,324,785	(**)	(**)	(*)	(**)
Wild hay cut.....farms reporting..	1,805	1,286	(**)	339	(*)	1,463
acres..	31,259	20,000	(**)	3,968	13,030	14,162
tons..	26,526	17,105	(**)	3,814	(*)	12,606
value .. dollars..	329,463	96,575	(**)	27,461	(*)	170,185
Clover and grass seeds:						
Alfalfa seed harvested.....farms reporting..	.....	4	(*)	1	(*)	(**)
acres..	.....	43	(*)	1	(*)	(*)
bushels..	.....	98	(*)	3	(*)	(**)
value .. dollars..	.....	1,274	(*)	50	(*)	(**)
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting..	2	<sup>9</sup> 64	(*)	(**)	(*)	<sup>10</sup> 18
acres..	26	<sup>9</sup> 488	(*)	(**)	(*)	(*)
bushels..	21	<sup>9</sup> 691	(*)	(**)	(*)	<sup>10</sup> 111
value .. dollars..	494	<sup>9</sup> 7,053	(*)	(**)	(*)	<sup>10</sup> 3,883
Miscellaneous crops:						
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting..	18,115	22,821	32,126	27,688	30,709	36,896
acres..	188,281	143,221	169,243	182,396	135,402	111,378
bushels..	51,196,349	33,678,069	54,755,531	47,441,580	40,121,881	25,531,470
value .. dollars..	65,691,058	24,360,822	13,141,327	56,046,960	14,857,601	52,339,514
Sweetpotatoes and yams harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting..	.....	7	1	.....	.....	.....
acres..	.....	3	(11)	.....	.....	.....
bushels..	.....	89	30	.....	.....	.....
value .. dollars..	.....	110	30	.....	.....	.....
Tobacco harvested (all types).....farms reporting..	1	.....	4	.....	.....	17
acres..	(11)	.....	1	.....	.....	(12)
pounds..	150	.....	355	.....	.....	700
value .. dollars..	56	.....	28	.....	.....	224
Sugar beets harvested for sugar.....farms reporting..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
acres..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
tons..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
value .. dollars..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Value of specified crops harvested, except fruits, nuts, horticultural specialties, and vegetables.....dollars..	65,694,646	33,612,937	(**)	(**)	(**)	(**)
Value of crops sold, except fruits, nuts, horticultural specialties, and vegetables.....dollars..	50,394,223	18,877,705	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)
Small fruits:						
Strawberries harvested.....farms reporting..	1,257	2,168	2,126	2,803	1,606	3,435
acres..	377	725	668	650	714	555
quarts..	462,964	1,672,960	1,204,429	1,137,193	(*)	893,740
value .. dollars..	169,477	244,293	180,664	247,161	(*)	223,438
Raspberries harvested (tame only).....farms reporting..	1,565	1,783	(*)	1,733	(*)	2,007
acres..	391	505	(*)	359	(*)	311
quarts..	207,477	396,715	(*)	277,280	(*)	279,254
value .. dollars..	95,441	80,614	(*)	83,367	(*)	78,193
Blackberries and dewberries harvested (tame only).....farms reporting..	357	362	(*)	1,283	(*)	2,198
acres..	108	61	(*)	165	(*)	282
quarts..	29,113	29,696	(*)	109,333	(*)	242,478
value .. dollars..	8,443	4,373	(*)	21,962	(*)	53,346
Blueberries harvested (tame and wild).....farms reporting..	1,289	1,768	(*)	1,151	(*)	(*)
acres..	28,809	20,136	(*)	13,888	(*)	(*)
quarts..	3,016,941	5,739,020	(*)	3,810,806	(*)	(*)
value .. dollars..	752,902	541,848	(*)	773,691	(*)	(*)

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Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes (nurseries excluded): <sup>13</sup>						
Apples.....farms reporting..	14,603	12,045	19,579	23,360	35,561	(*)
trees of all ages..number..	758,051	662,682	1,217,069	1,960,937	2,877,028	3,345,521
quantity harvested..bushels..	1,236,726	964,200	554,657	2,172,709	2,946,198	4,529,346
value ..dollars..	2,461,088	694,488	621,216	2,263,054	2,622,117	6,278,151
Cherries.....farms reporting..	1,488	793	1,919	1,636	(*)	(*)
trees of all ages..number..	4,716	3,255	7,722	7,409	(*)	16,235
quantity harvested..pounds..	22,377	14,356	5,488	60,480	(*)	103,376
value ..dollars..	2,685	1,129	245	6,641	(*)	6,925
Peaches.....farms reporting..	771	471	521	587	900	(*)
trees of all ages..number..	7,398	5,227	5,028	5,048	7,222	8,236
quantity harvested..bushels..	1,250	1,418	132	1,827	631	2,177
value ..dollars..	5,000	2,269	231	3,473	883	5,225
Pears.....farms reporting..	3,825	2,132	4,620	4,501	8,734	(*)
trees of all ages..number..	11,572	8,264	17,052	18,291	31,681	29,645
quantity harvested..bushels..	11,207	5,500	6,424	14,733	(*)	14,291
value ..dollars..	27,636	6,974	9,636	27,475	(*)	27,869
Plums and prunes.....farms reporting..	2,862	1,658	3,465	3,859	7,453	(*)
trees of all ages..number..	10,202	7,479	14,215	18,555	33,276	46,924
quantity harvested..bushels..	5,042	3,451	514	10,032	(*)	20,043
value ..dollars..	14,624	4,833	1,079	24,076	(*)	52,113
Grapes.....farms reporting..	1,601	735	1,510	1,237	4,075	(*)
vines of all ages..number..	6,717	3,136	7,011	5,552	12,461	9,265
quantity harvested..pounds..	69,220	30,276	42,880	58,411	(*)	100,759
value ..dollars..	4,500	755	2,058	3,507	(*)	10,080
Pecans (improved and seedling).....farms reporting..	.....	.....	(*)	.....	.....	(*)
trees of all ages..number..	.....	.....	(*)	.....	.....	.....
quantity harvested..pounds..	.....	.....	(*)	.....	.....	.....
value ..dollars..	.....	.....	(*)	.....	.....	.....
Land in fruit orchards, vineyards, and planted nut trees <sup>14</sup> .....farms reporting..	6,149	5,125	12,185	15,736	(*)	(*)
acres..	14,610	13,460	25,176	36,530	(*)	(*)
Value of specified fruits and nuts harvested.....dollars..	3,561,496	1,581,575	(**)	(**)	(**)	(**)
Value of all fruits and nuts sold.....dollars..	2,000,283	1,068,333	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)
Value of vegetables grown for farm household(s) <sup>15</sup> use.....farms reporting..	36,251	32,529	34,885	28,915	(*)	40,981
dollars <sup>16</sup> ..	4,151,883	2,042,463	1,463,094	1,840,568	(*)	3,180,673
Vegetables harvested for sale:						
Fresh beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting..	2,397	1,752	3,683	3,538	(*)	(**)
acres..	3,932	1,176	1,693	1,579	(*)	(**)
Cabbage.....farms reporting..	431	613	1,273	1,291	1,377	1,069
acres..	581	373	598	564	590	466
Sweet corn.....farms reporting..	3,878	2,822	6,371	7,153	8,393	6,712
acres..	14,521	6,268	11,235	16,443	12,574	11,316
Tomatoes.....farms reporting..	509	620	835	1,079	631	583
acres..	259	226	234	241	180	132
Green peas (English).....farms reporting..	1,270	1,614	(*)	2,550	(*)	1,301
acres..	5,012	3,752	(*)	1,778	(*)	385
All other vegetables and melons <sup>17</sup> .....farms reporting..	2,039	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)
acres..	4,315	3,306	7,068	1,827	(*)	181,237
Value of vegetables sold <sup>17</sup> .....farms reporting..	6,161	5,008	(*)	9,865	(*)	9,264
dollars..	3,261,989	1,123,703	(*)	2,290,834	(*)	2,160,534
Value of all horticultural specialties sold.....dollars..	1,300,190	898,026	(*)	849,796	(*)	420,739

<sup>1</sup>Not available.  
<sup>2</sup>Available data not comparable; see text.  
<sup>3</sup>Figures for cropland harvested and specified crops relate to the crop years 1944, 1939, 1934, 1929, 1924, and 1919.  
<sup>4</sup>Total acreage of crops for which figures are available, except that corn cut for forage was excluded, as most of this was probably duplicated in acreage of corn harvested for grain.  
<sup>5</sup>Includes calculated value of corn for grain, silage, fodder, and corn hogged off or grazed.  
<sup>6</sup>Includes calculated value of sorghums for grain, silage, hay or dry forage, and sorghums hogged off or grazed.  
<sup>7</sup>Excludes reports for farms reporting acreage grown for all purposes with no production. Includes acreage grown alone and acreage grown with other crops. Acreage harvested for beans or peas not available.  
<sup>8</sup>Includes acreage grown alone and acreage grown with other crops for all purposes. Acreage harvested for beans or peas not available.  
<sup>9</sup>Annual legumes saved for hay. Vetches not included for 1925.  
<sup>10</sup>Includes sweetclover cut for hay, which was reported separately in 1940.  
<sup>11</sup>Clover seed except sweetclover.  
<sup>12</sup>Red clover seed, including medium and mammoth.  
<sup>13</sup>One-half acre or less.  
<sup>14</sup>Reported in small fractions.  
<sup>15</sup>"Farms reporting" represents farms reporting trees (or vines) and/or production.  
<sup>16</sup>Figures do not include farms reporting a small number of trees without acreage. Acreages for various censuses are not strictly comparable as enumerators may not have always reported acreage for a small number of trees.  
<sup>17</sup>Excludes Irish and sweet potatoes, except for 1920 Census which included potatoes grown for home use only.  
<sup>18</sup>Enumerated value.  
<sup>19</sup>Excludes Irish and sweet potatoes.  
<sup>20</sup>Includes green lima and snap beans not reported separately.